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In re application of: Haaf et al.

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Sir:

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Appeal Fee: \$160.00 (Small Entity) \$320.00 (Large Entity)

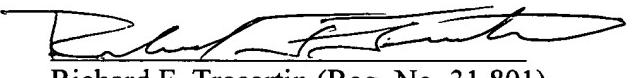
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Respectfully submitted,
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